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As a below-named inventor(s), I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR IDENTIFYING COMPOUNDS THAT INHIBIT HIV-1 SUBUNIT-SPECIFIC REVERSE TRANSCRIPTASE

the specification of which:

- ☐ is attached hereto.
- ☐ was filed on __, and identified as Attorney Docket No. _____.
- ☐ was filed on __, as Application Serial No. _____, and was amended on _____.
- ☒ was described and claimed in PCT International Application No. _____.

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56.

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §119(c)(1) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

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60/573,918	May 24, 2004	Expired
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